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REMARKS

Support for new Claims 57-74 as added herein can be found in the Specification, for example, on page 4, lines 1-14 and 21-30; page 5, lines 16-27; page 8, line 28 through page 14, line 14; page 15, lines 9-37; page 37, line 22 through page 38, line 19; page 45, lines 7-18; and page 57, lines 32-37. No new matter is added.

Applicants note that the title as shown in the Specification filed concurrently has been amended to more particularly describe the invention. Additionally, the related applications paragraph as shown in the Specification filed concurrently, has been amended to more particularly describe the priority chain. In the Brief Description of the Figures and in the reference to the figures within the Specification for Figures 6, 7 and 8, the Specification has been amended to reflect the proper numbering of Figures 6, 7 and 8 (*i.e.*, Figures 6a - 6b, 7a - 7b and 8a - 8b).

Inventorship Amendment

Please delete the following inventors: James L. Winkler, Christopher P. Holmes and Dennis W. Solas. Please add the following inventors: J. Leighton Read and Michael C. Pirrung. This amendment is requested in accordance with the Consent of Assignee to Correction of Inventorship, Petition to Correct Inventorship and Statement of Facts in Support of Petition to Correction Inventorship which were filed in U.S. Serial No. 09/465,126 (originally filed in U.S. Serial No. 08/466,632). With this amendment the proper inventorship of the subject application is **Stephen P.A. Fodor, Lubert Stryer, J. Leighton Read and Michael C. Pirrung.**

CONCLUSION

In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is believed that all claims are in condition for allowance, and it is respectfully requested that the application be passed to issue. If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this case, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (978) 341-0036.

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